



G. Garthofner of Hillsboro, who describes himself as "only partially a democrat," holds up a slab of wood which bears a strange resemblance to the "democratic donkey." The slab was brought here by Garthofner from a Warrenton sawmill where he has been employed. While commenting on the coincidence that a "head-rig" at last has really sliced off a "head," Garthofner sees no ominous portent in the wooden freak except that it might be a good subject for a columnist whose name and initials are Robert L.—Argus photo.

### Most Common Driving Faults Are Determined in Nation-Wide Check

The twelve most common driving faults reported in this country have been determined by a nation-wide survey conducted by the Automotive Safety Foundation, results of which have been received in Oregon by the State Traffic Safety division.

Heading this list is driving too fast for conditions with poor judgment in passing or following running a close second. Following is the list of driving faults as determined by the survey:

1. Driving too fast for conditions. Density of traffic volume, pedestrians, frequency of intersections, road surfaces, weather and sight distances are controlling factors in determining a safe speed.
2. Poor judgment in passing or following. Following a car too closely to stop within the distance ahead, passing on curves or hills, starting to pass with insufficient clear distance ahead.
3. Failure to signal. Other drivers taken by surprise and unable to avoid a collision.
4. Inattention. Driving is a full-time job. Looking at scenery, talking to a passenger, lighting a cigarette, all may cause accidents.
5. Improper turning. Making left turns from right lanes and vice versa frequently results in accidents.
6. Poor use of headlights. Over-driving illuminating beam and failure to use lower beam when meeting cars at night.
7. Lack of courtesy. Failing to yield right-of-way, particularly to pedestrians at intersections.
8. Poorly maintained vehicle. Improper adjustment of brakes, lights and other safety equipment.
9. Weaving in traffic. Driving on the wrong side of the road or in the wrong lane, unnecessary changes in direction.
10. Driving "below par." Fatigue, illness or drinking.
11. False confidence. Belief in ability to react instantaneously, to "stop on a dime."
12. Horn driving. Too much noise and too little skill. Attempt to clear path by blasts of horn, rather than yielding right-of-way or waiting till way is clear.

**Grateful**  
A young man walked breezily into the doctor's surgery. "Ah, good morning, sir," he said. "I've just dropped in to tell you how greatly I benefited from your treatment."  
The doctor eyed him up and down. "But I don't remember you," he said. "You're not one of my patients."  
"I know," replied the other, "but my uncle was, and I'm his heir."

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## Fire Destroys 15 Acres Grain At Mountindale

**MOUNTINDALE**—Fire, which started from a tractor, burned over 15 acres of grain on the Maller place Friday. A small amount of grain already combined was also burned.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Qualls attended the annual Tennessee picnic held at Dallas Sunday. Mr. Qualls was born and reared in Tennessee.

**Veils Raffety of Seaside** spent last Wednesday and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Raffety, Alma Raffety of Clatsop Creek also spent last week with her parents.

**Melvin Erdman and Howard Hollenbeck** spent the week-end with friends at Sweet Home.

**Californians Visit**  
Miss Betty Hannaford of Santa Ana, Cal., is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appleton.

**Or Annual Tour**  
Washington Grange members went on their annual garden tour Wednesday. Some very good gardens of members were visited. After their tour they enjoyed their annual picnic at Raffety grove.

**Miss Irene Hauser of Cascade Locks** is spending several weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Reynolds.

**Californians Visit**  
Mr. and Mrs. Al Arps and son of Burbank, Cal., spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appleton.

**Bonita Thompson** spent from Tuesday until Saturday at Banks with her grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Armentrout.

**The Na-Waik-Wa Camp Fire girls**, Betty McNew, Betty Jean Van Donelson, Merle Shelton, Dolores Erickson, accompanied by Mrs. Alton Warnick and Mrs. J. L. Van Donelson, enjoyed a theatre party Friday night in Portland.

**Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stovall of Yamhill** spent the week-end at their home here.

**Birthdays Celebrated**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker and children attended a birthday dinner party Sunday at Mt. Angel in honor of the 70th birthday anniversary of his mother, Mrs. Henry Baker. Others present were Mrs. Ed Spiering and daughter Joan of North Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Budkins and children, Genevieve and Agnes Baker of Portland, and Antonia and Mary at home.

**Dick Keenon of Fort Lewis, Wash.**, and Mrs. Keenon spent Sunday at the G. P. Essner home.

**at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Herrold** Friday evening. Guests were Messrs and Mesdames Sidney Ferguson and son Luke De Bore and children, Charles Kennedy and daughter, Walter Ferguson and family, Mrs. W. Bowen and Jean, Mrs. Frank Waibel, Celestine and Dick, Mrs. D. Lorenz, Mrs. F. Brecher and Viola, Mrs. T. Duncan, Mrs. W. Ross, Mrs. John Haase, Alvin and Mildred Mrs. Rosevear and Arkie, Mrs. Ed Wendt, Walter and Helen Liebenow, Oswald Schnoor, Alvin Nierman, Robert Newman, Vivian Cordrey, Mary Ellen Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Herrold and family. They received many beautiful gifts.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vanderschuer**, a boy. The mother is doing fine, but the baby is in Doernbecher hospital for treatment.

**Called Home**  
Ernest Brown was called home from California on Thursday because of his father's death. He has 10 days off.

**Mrs. Gladys Ede** left Friday for the beach with some friends.

## It Does Happen Here



One night last summer, so-called "harmless brush fires" merged on the edge of Westlimer, Oregon, and half an hour later the little community looked as you see it in this stark photograph, taken next morning.

## School Addition Being Discussed

**EAST CORNELL**—An architect has been employed to draw up plans for the enlargement of the Cedar Mill school. When completed they will be given to the community at a special school meeting for action by the voters. The present two-room school, although practically new, is inadequate to house the large enrollment expected this fall. Site of homesites in East Park and other areas around Cedar Mill has created the need for another room for next term.

**Mr. and Mrs. Abe Neubert** returned last week from Seaside. Mrs. Neubert had been there for 10 days. Mr. Neubert and a number of friends went down for a week-end.

**Mrs. Martha Thorne, Mrs. Obie, Mrs. Anna Barnes and Mrs. C. H. Katterman** returned home this week from the Smith Creek home-makers' camp.

**Frank Young** is building an addition to his house.

**Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wetzler** of Seattle visited Mrs. Wetzler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Reeves, over the week-end. On Sunday night they and the Reeves attended the wedding of Roy Schlottmann and Jean Simmons at Mt. Angel. Roy is a nephew of Mrs. Reeves.

**Glenna Fleskes** was taken to St. Vincent's hospital in Portland Friday for an appendectomy.

**The Miracle Book club**, which consists of two groups from the community church, one of students of high school age, the other of adults, held their meetings at the home of Irvin Heinrich last Thursday night. Following separate meetings, they joined in a potluck dinner honoring their teacher, Rev. Forbes, who with Mrs. Forbes and their two children, will leave soon for Colombia, S. A., where Rev. Forbes will engage in missionary work.

**In Fatal Accident**  
Edward R. Sticka of Hillsboro was the driver of a car involved in a fatal accident near Olympia, Wash., Saturday night, according to a news report published this week. Charles E. Rose, 72, of Olympia, Wash., was the victim.

**Leisyville**  
Mrs. Joe Seus and Ed. Bernard and Helen and also John Daly, who is spending the summer here from Seattle, Wash., accompanied Mary Seus to Seattle where she will work in the Marine hospital. Mrs. A. Frisbie and children of Bend have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Sinclair.

## Helvetia Folk Sign Petitions For Union High

**HELVETIA**—Petitions have been circulated and signed by all Helvetia school patrons in favor of being in the Hillsboro high school district. No opposition. An election will be held soon. The petition includes Districts 1, 9, 24 and 55.

**Troop 675**, the Helvetia explorer scouts held its annual meeting Friday night. Officers are Joseph Wenzel, scoutmaster; James Davidson, assistant scoutmaster; Elmer Grossen, assistant junior scoutmaster; Rudolph Myer, patrol leader; and Junior Johnston, scribe. Committeemen are Elmer Guerber, John Davidson and Arnold Leppin.

**Elmer Guerber** made a trip to the beach Saturday for Mrs. Guerber and Mrs. Abe Yungen, who were staying at Rockaway.

**Helvetia and adjoining communities** were well represented at the Dairy Co-op picnic at Jantzen beach Sunday.

**Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Davidson** and daughter Luella of Willamina visited over night Sunday at his parents' home.

## Edward Larson Flying Cadet

**ALOHA**—Edward Larson has been accepted by the army corps as flying cadet. In two weeks he goes into training at one of the flying fields in California.

**F. R. Sundquist** has returned from Oakland, Cal., where he had been attending maritime training school for four months.

**Mrs. J. E. Hays, Mrs. L. C. Reilly and grandson Harry**, and Mrs. F. R. Sundquist gathered 14 gallons of huckleberries in two days' picking on the slopes of Mt. Adams.

**J. A. Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Sundquist** spent the week-end at Depoe Bay.

**Fay Saxon and Jack Bernard** attended the Red Head Round-up at Taft.

**Evelyn Cosola** is helping with the work at the H. D. Bodine home while Mrs. Bodine is ill.

**Mr. and Mrs. Leo LaVasseur** have rented the Goodman house on Lang avenue and will move in at once.

**Jackie Swain** spent the week-end with relatives in Portland.

**Mrs. Arthur Rice of Kelso, Wash.**, visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reidingler.

**Mrs. Anna Peterson of Portland** visited her sister, Mrs. Margaret Swain, on Thursday and Friday.

**Mrs. Goodman Honored**  
Mrs. Raymond Wood gave a birthday party Monday in honor of her mother, Mrs. George Goodman, of Hillsboro.

**Mrs. T. A. Emerson and daughter** Marvel spent two weeks at Cannon Beach and in Seattle. While in Seattle they visited Mrs. Emerson's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Culbertson.

**Mrs. Harry L. Hudson** spent a two weeks' vacation at Rockaway. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barker and Verne Bright spent the week-end at Crater Lake.

**Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mueller** were Miss Sarah McMann of Waterloo, Iowa, Mrs. Hulda Ludlum, Ben Hanse, and Carl Palmer of Warren, and Robert Glasgow of Omaha, Neb.

**Lou Kinnaman Jr.** won first prize in marksmanship at the 4-H club summer session at Corvallis. He is now coaching his Guernsey and three heifers for the county and state fairs.

## Kinton Folk Plan Camp Attendance

**KINTON**—Kinton Sunday school members will go in a group to the Evangelical camp meeting now being held at Jennings Lodge on Sunday. Anyone wishing to go should let Mrs. W. Elliott know before Sunday. There will be no church or Sunday school services held in this church that day.

**Aid Meets Today**  
Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Marvin Ricks with Mrs. Viola Ricks as joint hostess, today (Thursday) at 2 p. m.

**Kansas Visits**  
Mrs. W. B. Kellog of Wichita, Kan., spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. R. F. Pomeroy, before leaving Portland for her home this week.

**Mrs. Maybelle Porter** is seriously ill with a heart attack at the home

of her brother, E. L. Cox, on the Scholls Ferry road.

Teacher: "What happened in the year 1809?"  
Johnny: "Lincoln was born."  
Teacher: "Correct. Now what happened in 1812?"  
Johnny (after a pause): "Lincoln had his third birthday."



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